

ENGLISH IDIOMS

Idioms are sayings and phrases that people often use in their daily life. They're images, metaphors and they're coming to your mind like a picture. Idioms explain very simply an idea and are sometimes very funny.

**CHALLENGE >> Every week, you have to find the French/English equivalent idiom.
>> You have to explain IN ENGLISH what the idiom/saying means.**

1. "Stop beating around the bush!"

In French: " Arrête de tourner autour du pot"

Meaning: *It means that you don't say something directly to someone because you are worried about his/her reaction and don't want to upset him/her.*

2. When pigs fly!"

In French:

Meaning:

3. "I have other fish to fry!"

In French:

Meaning:

4. "That rings a bell!"

In French:

Meaning:

5. "As stubborn as a mule!"

In French:

Meaning:

6. "To be all ears"

In French:

Meaning:

7. "Don't count your chickens before they're hatched!"

In French:

Meaning:

8. "It's all Greek to me!"

In French:

Meaning:

9. It's raining cats and dogs!"

In French:

Meaning:

10. "Don't let the grass grow under your feet!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
11. "You're pulling my leg!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
12. "I have a frog in my throat!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
13. "it costs an arm and a leg!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
14. "I could eat a horse!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
15. 'My foot!'	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
16. "Cool as a cucumber!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
17. "Flying colors!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
18. "Can't judge a book by its cover!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
19. "Save your neck!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	
20. "Break a leg!"	<u>In French:</u>
<u>Meaning:</u>	